



## Disclaimer Regarding the Goyang 2022 World Taekwondo Poomsae Championships April 21-24, 2022 / Goyang city, Korea

Due to current COVID-19 restrictions, Taekwondo Canada is required to submit all of our National Team registration, hotel booking, and quarantine exemption applications as a single group by March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022. This process requires a confirmed flight booking for each individual. The event organizers have not received a quarantine exemption waiver. If they receive an approval, this may not occur prior to early March. **Please note that WT does not recommend booking flights prior to the Korean government approving the host organizer's application for quarantine exemption.** Flights booked to attend the Goyang 2022 World Taekwondo Poomsae Championships should only be booked if changes and/or a refund is possible. Any flights booked in order to meet our WT registration deadlines are booked at your own risk. Taekwondo Canada cannot guarantee that a booked flight to attend the event will allow you to participate at the World Championships due to a number of factors that you should consider:

- Korea's visa free entry system has been suspended due to COVID. **All Canadians wishing to travel to Goyang are required to apply for a visa through the Korean Embassy or associated Consulate in Canada.** Taekwondo Canada will not be responsible for acquiring or assisting in the acquisition of visa's on behalf of Canadians travelling to Korea.
  - We have been informed that it may take up to 2 weeks to process the application.
  - Visit the Korean Embassy to Canada website for more information:  
[https://overseas.mofa.go.kr/ca-en/wpge/m\\_5237/contents.do](https://overseas.mofa.go.kr/ca-en/wpge/m_5237/contents.do)
- Based on the date of this information package being produced, the event organizers have not received a quarantine waiver from the Korean government. Upon arrival, Korea currently has a mandatory 7-day isolation period at a government-managed facility at your own cost.
- As part of the event entry package, all participants are required to submit a personal quarantine exemption application. If approved, this will allow participants to be transported to a facility for PCR testing upon arrival. You will need to wait at the facility until a negative test is returned, and then you will be transported to the hotel. Your exemption certificate expires after 7-days, and you will need to visit a Public Health Center to receive an additional PCR test on the 6<sup>th</sup> or 7<sup>th</sup> day after arrival. If negative, you will be permitted to remain in Korea for an additional 7-days. **You may only stay in Korea under a Quarantine Exemption for a maximum of 14-days.** After this time, you must either immediately depart, enter self-isolation or enter a government-managed isolation facility until your departure. **Quarantine Exemption Certificates are only issued 1-week prior to your anticipated arrival.**
  - Visit the Korean Embassy to Canada website for more information:  
[https://overseas.mofa.go.kr/ca-en/brd/m\\_5238/view.do?seq=727658&page=1](https://overseas.mofa.go.kr/ca-en/brd/m_5238/view.do?seq=727658&page=1)

Taekwondo Canada is currently planning around exceptional circumstances, event entry requirements, and is making every reasonable effort to send a team to the Goyang 2022 World Taekwondo Poomsae Championships. However, due to (but not limited to) the factors above, there are inherent financial risks involved in booking flights and committing to participating at the event.

**By signing below, you acknowledge that you have read this disclaimer in detail, have read the information through the supplied web-links, and fully accept that Taekwondo Canada cannot guarantee that a booked flight to attend the event will allow you to participate at the Poomsae World Championships. Any flights and associated travel plan to attend the Goyang 2022 World Taekwondo Poomsae Championships are booked at your own risk.**

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Name of Participant *(please print)*

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Signature of Participant

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Date

